

MORGAN ON RETIRED LIST OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

Automobile Replaces Faithful Horse After Long Service in Patrol Signal Service.

BEAST HAS WIDE REPUTATION

Ernest Thompson Pronounces Him an Educated Animal—His Prediction to Run Away Causes Many Merry Chases Through Streets.

The happy days when Morgan could wander at will through the city streets and cause Inspector Ernest Thompson, of the Police Signal Service, endless trouble and many useless steps have passed. Morgan is now on the reserve list of the Police Department. He has been retired, as it were; has been established to make way for the engines which have come with the new civilization.

Morgan is the horse which has been driven by Thompson for several years and is one of the best known beasts ever connected with the city department. There is a touch of pathos in the retiring of Morgan for he is a good horse and a gallant one and he has been placed on the list of "has-beens" to make way for a automobile. Hereafter the strenuous life of that soon car will replace the well-known neigh of old Morgan, except in those cases when the automobile may be in the hands of the repair man. Then the department will again turn to Morgan and he will respond.

MORGAN LEADS THOMPSON

Morgan's stunts are too well known to necessitate retelling. According to Thompson he is an educated horse and has several times shown that his education has been comprehensive to a degree. Morgan is frequently struck with ideas and never fails to act as soon as he feels the inspiration. An idea which seems to be ever present with him is to desert Thompson, when the inspector is busily engaged in doctoring some department station house, and to return to the Second Precinct Station. At other times he may make a tour of a number of patrol boxes before coming back, while infrequently he has been known to make the station house and go galloping around the circuit. These escapades have occurred several times at night and always necessitate Thompson and several policemen spending hours in pursuit. One of the liveliest chases in the recent history of Morgan occurred several nights ago when he left the station house and was pursued by Thompson on a bicycle. Morgan is a speed artist when he wishes to be and that night he led his driver a merry chase. Once he stopped before a box just long enough for Thompson to come up and then started again. He returned to the station house leading Thompson by about a square.

The change is one which has been contemplated by the Police Department for some time and is in keeping with the improvements which the Board of Police Commissioners are making. The new car is fitted with a body capable of carrying wire and apparatus necessary in repairing patrol boxes.

BALTIMORE'S MAYOR THANKS GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA

Star's Stuart's Efforts Added to Success of Star-Spangled Banner

According to Mayor James H. Preston, of Baltimore, the success of the Star-Spangled Banner Centennial held in Baltimore last month is due "in no small part" to the efforts of Governor Henry C. Stuart and his personal interest in the historical and patriotic event. Mayor Preston has written a graceful acknowledgment of Virginia's contribution to the celebration in the City of Brotherly Love, expressing the appreciation of himself and the city of Baltimore. Mayor George Almslie has also received a flattering letter of thanks for what Richmond did toward the success of the demonstration in Baltimore. Mayor Preston's letter to the Governor follows:

"Governor Henry C. Stuart, Richmond, Va.:
"My Dear Governor Stuart:—The National Star-Spangled Banner Centennial, held in Baltimore September 6 to 13, resulted very satisfactorily. This was due in no small part to your efforts and contribution to its success.
"I am taking this opportunity and means of expressing to you on my own behalf and that of the city of Baltimore my gratitude for and appreciation of your efforts and assistance in making the celebration so distinctly a success.
"I am inclosing you herewith a commemorative medal of our Star-Spangled Banner Centennial celebration. This medal is the work of Hans Schuler, of Baltimore, one of the leading sculptors of the United States, and I hope it will prove a suitable and acceptable memento of our Star-Spangled Banner celebration.
"Very truly yours,
(Signed) "JAMES H. PRESTON," Mayor and President of the Star-Spangled Banner Association."

IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

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SPORN'S CASE GOES OVER

Police Justice Crutchfield Continues Hearing Until October 15.

The case against H. Sporn, who formerly conducted a store at 215 Nicholson Street, charged with swearing falsely to Thomas W. Gardner, commissioner in chancery for the Circuit Court of Henrico County, relative to the removal of merchandise from his store after he filed notice of bankruptcy, was yesterday continued until October 17 by Police Justice Crutchfield.

Attorney Louis O. Wendenburg, representing Sporn, moved that the court quash the charge of perjury against his client on the ground that Gardner is a county commissioner, and that the proceedings brought against Sporn by several wholesale merchants were instituted through the city courts. The attorney representing Sporn's creditors opposed the motion on the ground that a number of bankrupt cases, heard before the commissioner, had been granted by city courts later.

Justice Crutchfield heard the lengthy argument in the case, and took the motion made by Mr. Wendenburg under advisement.

Socialist Will Speak.

Jesse C. Duke, State secretary of the Socialist party in Virginia, will speak at a public meeting of the Richmond Socialist local at Fraternity Hall, 215 Broad Street, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A general discussion of the European war and the efforts now being made by the Socialists to secure peace as soon as possible will follow the address.

RETURNS FROM EUROPE

Delegate Commis. of King William, Visits Governor Stuart.

T. C. Commis, member of the House of Delegates from King William County, was a caller at the office of Governor Stuart yesterday. Mr. Commis spent yesterday in the city, looking after business matters. He recently returned from a trip to Europe with Mrs. Commis.

While in Europe he visited his native County of Kent and made a tour of England and Scotland. Discussing war conditions in Continental Europe, he said that industrial, commercial and

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even social affairs were thrown into chaos. So eager are many of the Americans abroad to return home, he was offered \$500 for his steamship tickets to New York, restrictions having been placed upon ocean travel at that time.

Mr. Commis said that when he was leaving the British government was making wholesale requisitions on everything needed for war purposes.

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